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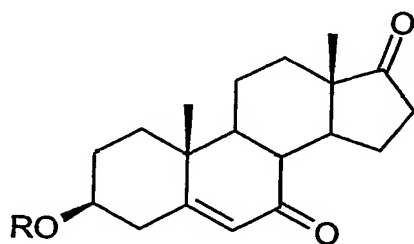
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(III)

(57) Abstract: The present invention relates to a two part microbial process for the preparation of 7-oxo-5-androstene steroids of Formula III.